

ABSTRACT

5 A nail gun and depth control spacer assembly for ejecting nails into a substrate
which contains two or more layers of roofing materials one of which is a compressible
fibrous layer. The nails penetrate the substrate but are prevented by the depth control
spacer from permanently compressing the compressible fibrous layer which springs back
to its original thickness after completion of the nailing process. The depth control spacer,
attached to the base of the nail gun, is of semi-oval configuration having a pressure
sensitive layer and a solid layer, is provided with an oval cavity in its center portion
10 through which the nails are ejected into the substrate.